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Sir:

According to counsel's records, the subject application was filed on the aboveidentified date. No action on the merits of this application has been received, as yet. The status of this application is urgently requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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